

**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
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Application No.	09/782,499 <i>1700</i>
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Group Art Unit	1711 <i>178</i>
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR §1.114 of the above-identified application. Note: 37 CFR §1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 CFR §1.53(d) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA.

**1. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114**

**a. Previously submitted**

- i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on (any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- iii.  Other: Consider entered amendment filed under 37 CFR §1.312 on May 31, 2002

**b. Enclosed**

- i.  Amendment/Reply
- ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv.  Other :

**2. Miscellaneous**

- a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i) required)
- b.  Other:
- 3. **Fees** (The RCE fee under 37 CFR §1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR §1.114 when the RCE is filed.)
  - a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 04-1512.
    - i.  RCE fee of \$740 required under 37 CFR §1.17
    - ii.  Extension of time fee (37 CFR §§ 1.136 and 1.17) — one month extended
    - iii.  Other
  - b.  Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed
  - c.  Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

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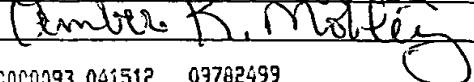
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